



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 1946**
Yoshihito KAWAMURA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006_0784A
Serial No. 10/580,236 : Group Art Unit 1793
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 27, 2009, the period for response having been extended for two (2) months by the attached petition, please amend the present application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.